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SUBJECT: 4TH WORLD FOOD COUNCIL

1. U.S. ATTACHES CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANCE TO CONSIDERATION  
BY 4TH WFC OF RECOMMENDATIONS MADE BY FAO AD HOC COMMITTEE  
ON FOOD AND NUTRITION POLICIES WHICH MET MARCH 6-10. WE  
ARE CONCERNED THAT THIS REPORT HAS NOT BEEN CIRCULATED TO  
WFC MEMBER GOVERNMENTS AS PART 4TH SESSION DOCUMENTATION.  
SUCH CIRCULATION CLEARLY PERMITTED BY DECISIONS 65TH AND  
69TH FAO COUNCIL SESSIONS, AND CONSISTENT WITH VIEWS 19TH  
FAO CONFERENCE WHICH NOTED WFC AND FAO "COMMON OBJECTIVE  
WAS ELIMINATION OF HUNGER AND MALNUTRITION" AND STRESSED  
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THE COMPLEMENTARITY OF WFC-FAO ACTION THROUGH STILL  
CLOSER COOPERATION.

2. FODAG REQUESTED URGE WFC SECRETARIAT CIRCULATE REPORT  
WITHOUT FURTHER DELAY. IF PROBLEM IS WITH FAO, HANNAH  
SHOULD POINT OUT THAT FAO HAS THE RIGHT (IN ACCORDANCE WITH  
PREVIOUS DECISIONS) TO ADD WHATEVER RESERVATIONS TO REPORT

IT CONSIDERS ADVISABLE, BUT REPORT THEN SHOULD BE CIRCULATED IMMEDIATELY.

3. FYI. IF REPORT IS NOT CIRCULATED FOR WFC DISCUSSION, U.S. INTENDS RAISE ISSUE IN WFC AND FAO SESSIONS.

THEREFORE, LEAVE TO FODAG JUDGMENT WHETHER IT WISHES HELP WFC SECRETARIAT THROUGH DIRECT TALKS WITH FAO. CHRISTOPHER

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